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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PLOS, UN, SG

SUBJ: LOS--AFRICAN UNILATERAL CLAIMS AND  
LANDLOCKED PROBLEM

1. THE FOLLOWING REMARKS MADE BY AMB. AMADOU CISSE OF SENEGAL TO  
OXMAN IN EVENSEN GROUP CONSULTATIONS MAY BE RELEVANT TO DEPARTMENT'S  
INQUIRIES ON UNILATERAL TERRITORIAL SEA CLAIMS. AMB. CISSE,  
WHO WAS CHAIRMAN OF AFRICAN GROUP AT CARACAS, WAS RESPONDING  
TO ARGUMENTS AND LANDLOCKED STATES SHOULD COMPROMISE IN THE  
LOS TREATY ON LESS THAN THE EQUAL ACCESS TO FISHERIES PROVIDED  
FOR IN THE OAU DECLARATION. CISSE SAID THERE WILL BE NO TREATY  
UNLESS LANDLOCKED ARE ACCOMMODATED AND THAT IF THERE IS NO LOS  
AGREEMENT, AFRICAN STATES WILL EXTEND THEIR TERRITORIAL SEAS TO  
200 MILES AND LANDLOCKED AFRICAN STATES WILL ENJOY EQUAL ACCESS  
TO LIVING RESOURCES.

2. IN A FORMAL SENSE, CISSE'S REMARKS ARE NOT OFFICIAL SINCE  
EVENSEN GROUP FUNCTIONS ON PERSONAL BASIS. HOWEVER, AT TIMES  
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IT HAS APPEARED THAT CISSE'S REMARKS HAVE BEEN IMPROMPTU ENGLISH

TRANSLATION OF FRENCH DOCUMENTS BEFORE HIM, POSSIBLY  
INSTRUCTIONS.  
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